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## Committee Planned By Labor Council On Price Controls

The Victoria and District Trades and Labor Council was urged Wednesday night by C. Marshall, delegate, to take steps along lines similar to those taken by the Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference to maintain price controls.

The Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference some time ago set up a committee to demand stricter control maintenance of price ceilings. The conference also planned publicity to seek support of this policy.

The Victoria council supported a resolution of the Calgary Trades and Labor Council demanding that the subsidy on milk be retained.

Although the delegates supported the Conquer Cancer Campaign with a contribution, it was their contention that if the Saskatchewan and Alberta governments were able to establish facilities for conquering this disease, British Columbia, considered one of the wealthiest provinces, should be able to do likewise. The council deplored the fact that the people had to be the first to institute steps to safeguard the welfare of the citizens.

The council decided to invite Harry Lundberg, president of the Seamen's International Union, to address it some time while he is on the coast to attend the I.L.O. conference in Seattle, starting today.

The council's request for an opportunity to inspect the schools of Greater Victoria has been granted by the board of school trustees.

H. Leinweber was seated as a delegate for the Victoria Mothers' Union, while L. F. Lydesay and R. Bentham were seated for the Automotive Workers' Union.

## Money From Heaven

GARIBALDI, Ore. (AP)—Residents were startled when dollar bills came floating down on fishing boats moored here. No one knows yet where the money came from. Tom Hess, a commercial fisherman, said he was eating lunch on deck when the heaven-sent bills dropped before him. He threw away his sandwich and grabbed \$16.

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

A.B.C.W. of C. Local No. 9, special general meeting called for Thursday, June 6, 8 p.m. Place, 902 Government Street.

Alcoholics Anonymous—The fifth most prevalent chronic disease is alcoholism. Men and women who cannot overcome intemperate drinking by themselves, may be helped by others who have won release and who will understand your problem. Consult the Victoria branch of Alcoholics Anonymous. Strictly confidential and without obligation. Apply P.O. Box No. 1, Victoria, B.C.

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## Weather

Due to a flow of moist air from the Pacific cloudy skies were general over the province last night with scattered showers reported in most regions. Little change is expected in the weather today and Friday.

Victoria and vicinity—Cloudy today, Friday cloudy in morning, clearing in afternoon. Winds light, little change in temperature.

Vancouver and vicinity, lower Fraser valley—Cloudy today and Friday, widely scattered rain-showers along mountains, winds light. Little change in temperature.

Georgia Straits—Cloudy today and Friday. Winds light.

West coast Vancouver Island—Cloudy today and Friday.

## WEATHER ACROSS CANADA

	Max.	Min.	Precip.
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## SECRET VOTE ESSENTIAL

SINCERE FRIENDS OF LABOR IN THIS province are obviously fast losing patience with a leader whose idea of a conference seems to be a meeting between two parties to a dispute at which the employers must grant his demands or suffer the consequences. What other interpretation can be placed on the conduct of Mr. Harold Pritchett, district president of the International Woodworkers of America, in view of the tactics he has pursued—ever since the workers in the forests and the sawmills downed tools three weeks ago?

If the people of British Columbia were somewhat confused by the dictatorial aura in which the provincial chief of the I.W.A. is now operating, the insulting letter he wrote to Chief Justice Sloan on Monday doubtless has opened their eyes and cleared their minds. For if there is one adjudicator, commissioner, mediator, conciliator—call him what you will—in whom the rank and file of the workers now on strike have absolute faith, it is this eminent jurist whose recent report on the province's great basic industry unquestionably stamps him as an authority on all phases of its problems.

It is because we know the average worker in this industry has reason to trust the wisdom and judgment of the Chief Justice that we are not in the least impressed by decisions—in this case the rejection of his proposals for a settlement of the strike—based on the disclosures of standing votes taken in meetings of the various locals of the I.W.A. Knowing as he does the domineering character of the controlling elements at headquarters, the imported disciplinary measures of which the public, too, has taken due cognizance, it is not likely the unwilling striker will lightly voice his disapproval of official action in open meeting.

We are nevertheless of the opinion that the majority have not abdicated their democratic privileges and are just as willing to accept their complementary responsibilities—not only to safeguard their dearly-bought rights, but also to share in the preservation of the provincial and national economy in which the fortunes of all the citizens, union and non-union, are inextricably involved. In other words, if it is found either undesirable or impossible to bring employers and employees together again, Mr. Pritchett and his officials at headquarters should forthwith call for a secret ballot so that the whole of the members of the I.W.A. can register their decision without fear.

Nobody denies the right of the worker to a square deal, an adequate wage for adequate labor; but what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander as well. And there is no promise of future industrial peace if the union member is to face the days ahead with the conviction that, if properly led, he would have won and preserved considerable advantages by his leaders' acceptance of Chief Justice Sloan's proposals. He has yet that chance.

## RETIRE WITH HONORS

WHEN THE LATE PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT "consecrated" Mr. Edward R. Stettinius Jr. into the government service six years ago, some critics of the administration's domestic and foreign policy shook their heads in grave doubt. Probably a few of them remembered how in the dark days of 1916—when the shell shortage had shocked Britain—Mr. Lloyd George called numerous British industrialists into conference and asked their help; but he began by assuring them that he understood the wide gulf which separated the science of government from the science of business. He confessed he was an entire stranger to the latter; how could they assist him out of their knowledge of industrial technique? They soon found a way: he got the munitions.

Mr. Stettinius first became a national figure in the neighboring republic by climbing to the top of the business ladder in such corporations as General Motors and United States Steel in the 1930's. He responded to the presidential invitation to enter the realm of government by accepting, first, membership on the National Defence Advisory Council, and, successively, posts as Priorities Director for the Office of Production Management, Administrator of the United States' multi-billion-dollar lend-lease program, Under-secretary of State, Secretary of State, and finally his country's first representative—with the rank of ambassador—to the United Nations, which, of course, he helped to create. How the political historian will assess his performance in the various roles to which he was assigned is immaterial; the fact that he abandoned a business career for the hurly-burly of public life, knowing from the day he started he would be fair game for both captious and honest critic, and that he made a success of it, too, will furnish his own commentary for the rising generation to consider as successful endeavor.

Perhaps Mr. Stettinius would be the first to confess that there have been times, from the deliberations at Dumbarton Oaks, as leader of the United States delegation at San Francisco, in London, and more recently as the occupant of his country's permanent seat on the Security Council, when he would have much preferred the atmosphere of the Board

Room at the headquarters of United States Steel to the allegedly polite double-talk and manoeuvre of the international council chamber. He has nevertheless served his country well; his colleagues in the United Nations Organization and its subsidiary bodies will miss him. No doubt ill health has had something to do with the resignation which President Truman tried hard to persuade him to reconsider—without success.

## A SERIOUS BLEMISH

THE FACT THAT BRITISH COLUMBIA, with its miles of indented coastline, rivers and lakes, carries the blemish of the highest drowning death rate in Canada may be understandable. A vast number of her citizens find their living or their recreation on the water. They are exposed to hazards that do not exist to the same extent in other provinces. It is inevitable that the sea will take its toll. But the figures announced by the Provincial Health Department in its current bulletin include a number of cases in which death from that cause might have been prevented.

That latter factor lays emphasis on a deficiency in the physical education program of schools here. No adequate provision is made to teach swimming as a part of the ordinary curriculum. The absence of a course in that department of P.T. work is difficult to understand in a community so closely identified with fishing, boating and other industries and pastimes which depend on the water. The statistics supplied by the Department of Health and the drowning tragedies reported at intervals in the press should induce the educational authorities to take action. It might be unwise to make swimming a compulsory subject for all students of a certain age—in view of the possible disabilities of some. But it would certainly seem sensible and beneficial to make a properly supervised course a preferential option for all but those certified medically unfit to participate.

## PERON AS PRESIDENT

IN ASSUMING THE PRESIDENCY OF Argentina, Colonel Peron finds himself enveloped in commitments made to those groups which gave him his majority in return for promises of exercising the strong arm of authority in their particular interests. These are already demanding the privileges they envisaged when, in order to win their support, the government—of which Peron was the power behind the scenes—began carrying out policies designed to weaken the opposition of the so-called democrats. Special collections of funds levied to fill campaign coffers are one thing; but taxes imposed to maintain the administration in running order and generally benefit the national economy are quite another. The government, even before the Colonel actually takes office, seems to have found it necessary to sequester sums standing to the credit of the insurance companies doing business in the Argentine. Presumably these concerns are to be nationalized and the savings of the people thus channelled into government revenue. Then, too, demands for higher wages and shorter hours seem to be troubling the administration.

Exactly how the new President is going to regard the United States proposals for hemispherical defence is uncertain. But as they suggest a co-ordination of strategy and armament between the nations involved, and under such methods Brazil, Uruguay and Paraguay might receive arms and ammunition to defend themselves against any policies contemplated by President Peron in pursuit of raw materials for stimulation of his industrial enterprises, he may not have precisely the same point of view as Washington. His chief economic preoccupation will probably be to change a feudal civilization into an industrial one and raise the general standard of living without, at the same time, alienating the support of the army officers who regard him as their particular "patron."

## IMPORTANT ACQUISITION

TO ALL CITIZENS OF THIS COMMUNITY who count culture an important element in the enjoyment of living, the exhibition of the late Emily Carr's art in the newly-opened Little Centre, established by the Federation of Canadian Artists, Vancouver Island Region, is an event of major importance. To those who understand the values of the distinguished Victorian's work, the selected examples offer a treat that will require little advertisement to draw them to the showroom. Among those less familiar with more important aspects of the medium in which the late Miss Carr gained eminence, the exhibition should prove a highly valuable educational factor. Through such showings the development of a higher appreciation for work of distinction will be stimulated. Those responsible for the acquisition of the Little Centre as well as for this attractive opening exhibition have earned the sincere thanks of the community. That sentiment may find its most tangible expression in public support through attendance at the exhibition.

## STRENGTH IN SIMPLICITY

WHILE HIS FELLOW MEMBERS IN THE legal profession may find a hint of heresy in the remark of Mr. J. Pitcairn Hogg, K.C., to the effect that lengthy preambles to municipal by-laws constitute "a favorite trick of lawyers," there is much to be said for his advocacy of simpler forms. The very efforts of those who draught by-laws to be precise frequently render their product cloudy. Overabundance of legal language can hardly assist the layman in the understanding of regulations which are set for his observance. When he becomes involved in considerations of the responsibilities of "parties of the first part hereinafter referred to as," etc., his appreciation of the spirit of the law tends to become confused. The definite and straightforward should be the aim in phrasing such documents.

## Walter Lippmann

THE FRENCH ELECTIONS  
THOUGH the Popular Republicans (the M.R.P.) have only a slender plurality in the French elections, the result is none the less of decisive practical importance. For if the Communists had obtained such a plurality in the popular vote and in the new Constituent Assembly, they would have demanded and have been conceded not only M. Thorez for Prime Minister but—what would have mattered even more—the appointment of the Minister of the Interior, who in France controls the police and administers the machinery of elections.

France, we must remember, must within the next seven months have another referendum on the constitution which the new Constituent Assembly will draft, and then, if that constitution is adopted, elections for the parliament of the permanent government.

THE NEXT French government, like all French governments since the liberation, will have to be a coalition of the three great popular parties—that is to say of the Popular Republicans, the Communists and the Socialists. With only 160 seats (on the latest returns) out of 522 in continental France, the Popular Republicans do not have anything like a majority. Even if they combined, which they almost surely would not and could not, with the small conservative parties, they would still be far short of a majority. Nor is a combination with the Socialists alone conceivable at the present time. The Socialists could not and would not enter a combination which left the Communists outside, in the privileged and profitable and demagogic position of irresponsible critics.

A three-party government is, therefore, clearly indicated. This would seem to make it unlikely that General de Gaulle will now return to the post of Provisional President. For he resigned last winter because of his dissatisfaction with the deadlocks and compromises which are inherent in three-party government.

IN APPRAISING the significance of the elections we must bear in mind that the Popular Republicans are not by our current political standards or by prewar French standards a conservative party. The real conservatives were the Republican Party of Liberty (P.R.L.) and they will be a small minority (about 10 per cent) in the new Assembly.

The M.R.P. are conservatives in that they adhere to the democratic process which they hold to be not only consistent with but inherent in the Christian conception of the nature of man. That they are militant, not passive, believers they proved when they became the first organizers of the resistance to the Nazis, the first to oblige distinctly and sharply the idea of collaboration.

After the liberation, after the danger was over, they were joined by many who, though they did not share their views, were less afraid of them than they were of the Socialists and Communists. For this reason there were many observers who supposed that they would lose heavily in the election to the P. R. L., the party of the Conservatives. Probably they have lost some of their rightist elements. But it is plain that they have more than recouped their losses out of the great mass of the people.

THE DECLINE of Communists, or, more accurately, their failure to grow decisively stronger, signifies—I believe—that they no longer have anything to offer which the French people cannot get without at the same time sacrificing their liberties and their independence in foreign affairs. The Communists have no social program for the reconstruction of France which is more advanced or more radical than that which the M. R. P. and the Socialists offer. They have no monopoly of the collectivist program which a good three-quarters of the French nation regard as desirable, or at least necessary in the present condition of affairs.

All the Communists have to offer—apart from a political dictatorship which the French certainly do not want—is the promise of greater energy and determination and ruthlessness in carrying out the program which all three leading parties subscribe to.

THE EUROPEAN Communists today are a very different breed from what most Americans, thinking of their own Communists, imagine them to be. It is their energy and decisiveness, rather than their ideology, which has distinguished the European Communists among the popular parties which have risen since the end of the war. The French Communists, for example, are responsible for the remarkable performance of the French mining industry, and for the fact that the French working class has not been striking and has accepted low real wages in order to increase production.

There is a moral in these elections. It is that democratic liberty, where it has really taken root, is not decadent or dying in Europe. We are underestimating its vitality, and we tend to forget that though it is a good thing—which it surely is—only the people of each country can preserve it. The democracies will preserve democracy. Where there is no democracy, it will take a long experience to develop democracy.

WHAT we can do is to preserve the peace, to see to it that Europe does not have to become a battlefield and to be mobilized and rent by civil war.

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**What Do the Lumber Workers Think?**  
As the Minister of Labor himself has said, it is doubtful if the public temper of this province will much longer tolerate this unnecessary tie-up. If the I.W.A. executive wants to hold any measure of public or labor confidence, it will either call off the strike at once or ask for a Labor Department scrutineer to take a properly supervised poll of employee reaction to the Sloan recommendations. Straw votes or show-of-hands balloting at quickly called local meetings will not allay the growing suspicion that in this issue the union executive is pursuing a strike-for-strike-sake policy. Public opinion settles most prolonged strikes. The I.W.A. leaders should never ignore this truism nor should they count on public support if they close and bar the door to this reasonable Sloan plan for settlement.

**End the Strike**  
The strike has gone on almost three weeks and, as Mr. Hart and Mr. Pearson point out, jeopardizes not only the housing situation and the shipment of food to starving people's overseas, but also adversely affects the economic stability of the entire Dominion to some degree. What happens if His Lordship's solution is rejected by either side, or both? The strike may drag its disastrous course for weeks yet, and in the end—as is the way with so many labor disputes—the result must be a compromise which at best will be probably no better than what is offered. Wisdom dictates acceptance. Public opinion demands acceptance.

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Registration date for grade one and pre-primary pupils in the Greater Victoria district will close June 14, and parents may register children at the nearest school between 3 and 4 p.m. any school day up to this date, John Gough, municipal inspector of schools said today.

Only exception to this is Willows School, where beginners are to be registered June 17 at 1.30.

Only children who will be six before Dec. 31, 1946, are eligible to enter Grade one, and children must be five before this date to enter the pre-primary classes.

Eight kindergartens will be in operation during the 1946-47 school year at Oaklands, Sir James Douglas, Spring Ridge School, North Ward, Margaret Jenkins, Victoria West, Old Oak Bay High and Cloverdale schools.

B.C. Electric Offers 3-Cent General Boost

Details of the company's offer for a collective bargaining agreement between the B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. and its 2,900 employees in Victoria and Vancouver as represented by the Street Railwaymen's Association, were released today by A. E. Grauer, president of the B.C. E.R. The tram operators and other unionized employees of the company will vote on the proposals today.

Mr. Grauer said the firm was offering a three-year collective agreement based on a three-cent an hour wage increase in all work categories as a forerunner of a 10-year plan designed to give the men a 40-hour week, pensions and hospitalization benefits. The three-year plan includes a Medical Services Association plan to cover medical, surgical and maternity services, with contributions from employees.

For the third year of the agreement a 44-hour week with no reduction in take-home pay would be adopted. Days off would be allowed "extras."

Registered Nurses Set Scale Of Fees

As a result of a comprehensive study conducted early in the spring, a revised private duty nurses' fee schedule was drawn up and was approved at the annual meeting of the Registered Nurses' Association. In this schedule, which goes into effect on July 1, the fee for eight-hour service is increased to \$6.50, for 12-hour service to \$9.50 and for resident service to \$11. Provisions are made for group nursing—that is, two or more patients—and for hourly nursing.

Increased Grants Not Coming Soon

VANCOUVER (CP).—More than 1,000 student veterans at the University of British Columbia heard Prof. S. N. F. Chant, former director of rehabilitation in the Department of Veterans Affairs at Ottawa, tell how increased grants would possibly be slow in coming.

The students were well advised to "keep an eye on Dominion-Provincial relations," Prof. Chant warned. "Because until that situation is cleared up the Dominion government will be loath to make increased grants of any kind."

Other difficulties in the way of the vets' campaign, he said, included the complexity of amending the rehabilitation act to allow benefits to only one group coupled with the government's stand that benefits were to be "grants-in-aid" only.



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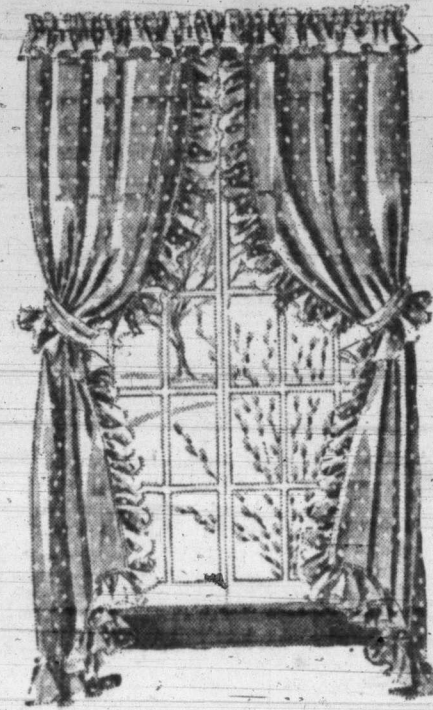


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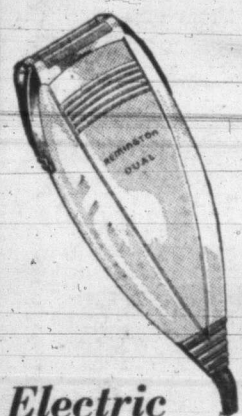
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### Donate Funds For Hospital Furnishing

The sum of \$3,000 was voted towards the equipment of the case room suite in the new maternity wing, at the last meeting of the Junior Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Mrs. Leslie Aylard presided and welcomed Mrs. K. J. Dykstra, occupational therapist of the Marpole Infirmary, who spoke of her work. Miss Shirley Adams, assistant social service worker at the hospital, also addressed the meeting. Mrs. John Whiteside was welcomed as a new member. Reports were given by Mrs. Conway Parrott, Mrs. H. T. Goodland, Mrs. Ainslie Helmcken, Mrs. F. G. Aldous, and Mrs. R. A. Wootton. Mrs. Allan Maclean reported that during the summer months the Thrift Shop would be open on Saturdays only.

It was announced that the Wynne Shaw dance recital will be sponsored by the auxiliary Nov. 11 and 12. Mrs. R. Newell distributed dolls to be dressed for the annual bazaar.

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### Miss Nell Jones Again Heads Club

Miss Nell Jones was re-elected president of the Soroptimist Club of Greater Victoria at the annual meeting held in the Y.W.C.A. Other officers elected were Miss Lillias Milne, first vice-president; Miss Ella Walker, second vice-president; Mrs. Alice Kimmitt, corresponding secretary; Miss Margaret Cranston, recording secretary; Miss Elsie Richards, treasurer; Mrs. A. M. Robertson, Mme. Erna Vautrin and Miss Marion Storey, directors for three, two and one year respectively.

Miss Richards, the treasurer, reported a fully paid-up membership. Other reports were given as follows: Miss D. Atkins, Venture Club; Miss L. Milne, membership; Miss Ella Walker, talent money; Mme. Erna Vautrin, Local Council of Women; Miss Y. Love, nutrition. Contributions to local and war charities, including Navy League and Red Cross were also reported and it was announced parcels of food have been sent to Holland.

Mme. Erna Vautrin was appointed convener for the bazaar which is being held in November at the Y.W.C.A. The resignation of Miss Gwen Scott was received with regret.

### Club Calendar

Ex-servicemen's Branch, Canadian Legion, tonight at 8, Britannia Branch Club. All ex-servicemen welcome.

Women of the Moose, Victoria Chapter, No. 25, election of officers, June 17, instead of June 10, 7.30, small K. of P. Hall.

A miscellaneous shower was given Monday evening by Miss Molly Leiper, 3570 Caumet Avenue, to honor Miss Ruth Ball, who will be married this month. Those present were Mesdames A. Ball, C. Hull, M. Warburton, M. Leiper, E. Lambert and the Misses Lorraine Druce, Nancy Foot, Avis Berry, Muriel Parrott, Ann Greenwood, Sonia Leiper, Angela Luke and Pat Patterson.

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### Montreal Visitors



Mrs. W. B. Lambert with her three children, Dixie, Ross and Gouding, left to right, who arrived in Victoria this week from Montreal to spend the summer months with her mother, Mrs. H. Goulding Wilson, 608 St. Charles Street.

## Personal Notes

Announcement was made Wednesday by Mr. W. C. Maitland, provincial commissioner of the St. John Ambulance Brigade, that Mrs. W. C. Woodward, wife of the Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia has been appointed lady provincial superintendent for B.C. In consenting to fill this important post Mrs. Woodward is carrying on a work in which she has always been interested. In the First Great War she worked in the Ulster Volunteer Force Hospital in Ireland. She is a Dame of Grace in the venerable Order of St. John of Jerusalem and has taken a part in hospital work, the care of the sick and in many organizations that work for the welfare of the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil French left for Jasper Wednesday and will be away two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Shove have returned to Ganong Harbor after a few days holiday in Victoria where they stayed at the Dominion Hotel.

Mrs. John Kyle, 242 Wildwood Avenue, entertained Wednesday afternoon with a trolley tea to honor her daughter, Miss Nancy Kyle, bride-elect of next week. The guests included members of the bridal party and their mothers.

Mrs. T. H. Johns as second vice-president, and Mrs. H. L. Campbell, corresponding secretary, were among those elected to office at the 18th annual convention of the B.C. Provincial Chapter, P.E.O. Sisterhood, held in New Westminster last week end. Other delegates from Victoria were Mesdames E. W. White, John Gough, Edna Godson, F. M. McGregor, W. H. Wilson, G. E. Lane, J. W. Ewing, N. A. Beketov, H. Gilliland, F. O. R. Garner, Ralph Matthews and Miss Enid McKee.

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### Noted Pianist Married Saturday

The marriage of Mrs. Margaret McFarlane and Ellison Queale took place Saturday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willcox, Hollywood Crescent.

Retiring in 1941 from the concert stage after a successful career as a pianist, the bride is well known in music circles both on this continent and in Europe.

The ceremony was performed by Dr. Hugh A. McLeod. Given away by C. S. Crosby of Vancouver, the bride was charming in a gown of turquoise blue with white accessories and carrying a bouquet of red roses. Her bridesmaid, Miss Gladys Revercomb, chose crushed strawberry with lavender accessories and carried sweetheart roses and sweet peas. The groom was supported by W. L. Heard of Ocean Park, B.C.

At the reception following the ceremony, the young couple were assisted in receiving the guests by Mrs. J. Queale, mother of the groom, and Mrs. C. Crosby of Vancouver. Mr. Heard proposed the toast to the bride.

For a mainland honeymoon the bride donned a tailored black coat over her wedding ensemble with corsage bouquet of gardenias.

### Y.W.C.A. Council Holds Closing Banquet

The Girls' Interclub Council of the Y.W.C.A. held their closing banquet Tuesday evening at the "Y."

Miss Evelyn Rhodes presided. Miss A. J. Fawcett, honorary member of the Y.W.C.A., asked the blessing. Following the supper Dr. Olga Jardine, president of the Y.W.C.A. board, accepted the gift of a silver tea service presented to the Y.W.C.A. by members of the Residence Girls' Club. Mrs. L. Curtis awarded the silver cup to the Omphalos and the Residence Girls' clubs for most attractive table decoration. The framed creed was given to the Y-Ens and the Chetelaine Club for best attendance.

The Philomel Choral Club, under the direction of Mrs. W. H. Wilson and accompanied by Mrs. C. Conyers, sang several numbers. Miss Marion Foster, program secretary, was presented with a gift by members of the club department. Mrs. M. Gilchrist spoke of her experiences in Hongkong and Shanghai until her release last fall. Miss Edna White, social convener for the banquet, thanked Mrs. Gilchrist. Charlotte Crawford led the group in the singing of the negro national anthem, "Lift Every Voice and Sing," to close the evening.

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To honor Miss Jessie Dunn, a June bride-elect, over 60 co-workers and friends gathered Wednesday evening in the reception room of the B.C. Telephone Company for a miscellaneous shower. Miss M. Burley presented Miss Dunn with a corsage bouquet of pink rosebuds and mauve sweet peas. The gifts were concealed in a huge pink slipper with a silver buckle. Refreshments were served in the cafeteria where the head table was decorated with deep red roses and candelabra with tall red tapers. Individual tables around the room were centred with low bowls of roses.

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Gilbert were honored guests last Saturday at St. Aidan's Hall when 50 friends gathered to offer congratulations on the occasion of their 25th wedding anniversary. Mr. F. Jennings conducted community singing and games were played under the leadership of Mr. P. Boorman. Mrs. P. Hill sang a solo. Mrs. T. G. Griffiths and Mr. Boorman presented Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert with a silver cake basket on behalf of the assembled guests. Rev. T. G. Griffiths acted as chairman. Refreshments were served by ladies of the choir followed by cutting of the bride's cake, made and decorated by Mrs. W. D. Davies.

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### P.T.A. News

**Regimental**—Annual reports of committee chairmen will be received and officers elected at the annual meeting Tuesday. Miss Conibear of the High School staff will speak on the High School Library and its mission.

**Brentwood**—Annual meeting of Brentwood P.T.A. will be held on Tuesday at 8 at the West Saanich School. Election of officers will be held and plans made for the school picnic.

**Burnside**—The following officers were elected at the annual meeting of Burnside P.T.A.: President, Mrs. N. Hogan; secretary, Mrs. J. A. Baker; treasurer, A. R. Goodie; membership, Mrs. C. McGowan; refreshments, Mrs. D. Wyber; radio, Mrs. Hutchison; hospitality, Mrs. R. Caldwell; sickness, Mrs. J. A. Smith; publicity, W. W. Mawie; entertainment, R. Caldwell; sewing group, Mrs. N. Hogan.

**Victoria West**—Alderman F. J. Mulliner and H. Hurn, former principal of the school, addressed the annual meeting, while C. F. Banfield installed the officers. Mrs. H. Holyrod was re-elected president. Also elected were R. Kipling, vice-president; Mrs. W. Spalding, secretary; J. Dee, treasurer; executive, Miss F. Rigby; Mrs. G. Raven, Mrs. R. Carmichael, Mrs. A. Hiquelbran and Mrs. H. Youson. A graduation tea for Grade 8 pupils will be held June 21. Plans were made for the school sports, June 12 at 1.30.

### Famous Circus Rider In 'San Antonio'

Circus days may soon be over for "Poodles" Hanneford and his world-famous family troupe of bareback and trick riders, who have been top-flight performers in the sawdust ring for more than a quarter-century. Hanneford revealed this recently, pointing to the fact that increasing labor shortage problems in the circus circuit prompted him and his family to return to California for a possible career in the movies.

That the Hanneford family of riding experts has had no difficulty in this respect is attested by the fact that both "Poodles" and his pretty nineteen-year-old daughter Grace are currently to be seen in Warner Bros. technical production "San Antonio," the Errol Flynn-Alexis Smith starring film now playing at the Atlas.

### Tarzan Amid Amazons In Latest Adventure

African adventure involving a tribe of Amazons is the theme of Hollywood's newest action picture, "Tarzan and the Amazons," now at the York Theatre, which again presents Johnny Weissmuller as the athletic ape-man and little Johnny Sheffield as his son, Boy. Brenda Joyce makes her debut in the series as Jane Tarzan's wife.

A group of fierce women warriors dwell in a remote mountain valley, unknown to the outer world, and maintain the secret of their existence by slaying any intruder.

Their friend Tarzan, however, knows all about the Amazons, and Boy learns of them when he follows his father to the valley on a rescue mission. A party of scientists hears about the strange tribe and when Tarzan refuses to show them the route, Boy is persuaded to lead them, with dramatic results.

### Y.P. Societies

St. John's—The annual meeting of St. John's A.Y.P.A. was held with 40 members present. Juanita Perkins opened the meeting with prayer and Margery Symonds welcomed two guests, Lorne Shandley and Deryk Wright. Jim O'Neil spoke briefly on the new Anglican summer camp at Thetis Island. Mrs. Craig Lister presided and new officers are as follows: Patron, Rev. G. Biddle; honorary president, Jim O'Neil; past president, Margery Symonds; president, George Barr; vice-president, Eileen James; treasurer, Anne Burr; recording secretary, Betty Townsend; corresponding secretary, Frankie MacNeil; publicity, Sylvia Taffack; Sunday night entertainment, Irene Noel; Sunday night refreshments, Eleanor Melville; breakfast, Betty Aldersmith; social, Gill Gore-Langton; educational, Fred Holman; missionary, Shirley Andrews; envelope, Jean Markland; monthly promotion, Bill McPhee; extension, John Pettit; local council representatives, Garry Young and Eileen James.

**Primer for Brides**—Each gift must be acknowledged promptly. When gifts are received on the evening or day of the wedding, making it impossible to acknowledge them until after the wedding trip, the note should include the reason for the delay. A "thank you" note should be sincere and informal and written on the best of note paper.

Victoria Women's Institute, social and competition of decorated tables, Friday, 2.30, Hard-of-Hearing Hall. Tea will be served. Mesdames W. Bridge, J. Terry, Cull and G. Upward will convene.

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**ATLAS**—"San Antonio," starring Errol Flynn.  
**CADET**—"Ginger Rogers in 'Till We Meet Again'."  
**CAPITOL**—"The Bandit of Sherwood Forest," starring Cornel Wilde.  
**DOMINION**—Dick Powell in "Cornered."  
**OAK BAY PLAZA**—George Formby in "He Snoops to Conquer."  
**RIO**—"Leave It to Blondie," starring Arthur Lake.  
**YORK**—"Tarzan and the Amazons," starring Johnny Weissmuller.

### 14 Athletes Needed For Capitol Film

Requirements for the filming of Columbia Pictures' technicolor production, "The Bandit of Sherwood Forest," currently starring Cornel Wilde at the Capitol Theatre, included the discovering of three actors who could swing down from a 30-foot level in a tree; seven who could do the same from a 15-foot level; two who could jump 25 feet up from trap lines, and two more who could jump 6 feet from a springboard. A casting director found them all in a nearby gymnasium.

### Formby In Politics At Oak Bay, Plaza

In presenting the new George Formby film "He Snoops to Conquer" at the Oak Bay and Plaza Theatres today, audiences will see him in an entirely new role. George has depicted many various characters, policeman, airman, sailor, Home Guard, and now we find him as the man-of-all-work in a Town Council office. The picture gives George Formby the most topical role of his screen career as the "man of the people" who is being backed for the local council election of Tangleton by eccentric millionaire Sir Timothy Strawbridge (played by Robertson Hare) and his daughter Jane (Elizabeth Allan), in an effort to bring the government's proposed scheme for town planning into being, despite the opposition of a crooked council and its chairman (played by Claude Bailey).

Unfortunately for George, electioneering brings forth all kinds of troubles, but for the audiences sequence after sequence of hilarious fun.

**RIO THEATRE**  
Columbia Pictures' first film of the renewed "Blondie" series, "Leave It to Blondie," with Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake will open today at the Rio Theatre. Once again, Larry Simms, Jonathan Hale, Danny Mummert and Daisy are seen in their familiar roles. Based on the comic strip "Blondie" created by Chic Young, the original screen play is by Connie Lee. Abby Berlin directed for producer Burt Kelly.

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### 'Leopard Woman' In New Tarzan Show

A bloodthirsty cult of Leopard Men is the menace in "Tarzan and the Leopard Woman," coming to the Dominion Theatre tomorrow, which again presents Johnny Weissmuller as the athletic ape-man hero, little Johnny Sheffield as his son and Brenda Joyce as Tarzan's wife. Acquaintance, as the Leopard Woman, is featured as Tarzan's most exotic opponent in the hero's series of adventures. "Tarzan's jungle lore makes him suspicious that something more than leopards are involved in the numerous raids on jungle caravans, Tarzan, Jane and "Boy" and four young Zambesi girls are captured by a savage, secret cult of Leopard Men and doomed to be sacrifices of the bloodthirsty fanatics. Tarzan, aided by the faithful chimpanzee Cheta, saves their lives and traps the last of the savages.

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## Sloan Statement Outlines Details Of Strike Talks

Text of a statement, issued by Chief Justice Gordon McG. Sloan late Wednesday following formal notification by the International Woodworkers of America that his strike settlement plan had been rejected, follows:

"In view of the statements contained in a letter addressed to me by Mr. Pritchett and which was published in the newspapers of yesterday's date, it is I think necessary for me to review the situation in order to remove any misunderstanding that might result from Mr. Pritchett's published comments.

"Throughout the period of the negotiation I was acting at the request of the Dominion government, as an intermediary endeavoring to reconcile the differences between the employers and the union. I met the union officials in one room and the representatives of industry in another and had many long discussions with each side.

"During these discussions I was working for and with both sides without disclosing my personal views on the questions in issue.

"On Saturday morning, the

25th of May, I reached the conclusion that the differences between the two groups on all vital questions were no nearer solution than when negotiations had commenced. In truth, representatives of the industry had, on Friday afternoon, withdrawn their offer of a 5 cent an hour increase which had coupled with it their agreement that I should act as arbitrator on the question of union security with authority to bind both sides by an award on that issue. This meant the gap was becoming wider instead of narrower. On Saturday morning, then, I suggested to both sides, in line with an alternative proposal by industry, that if both sides presented their case on all issues to me I would, after consideration thereof, hand down recommendations which either side could accept or reject as they saw fit. I made it quite clear to both sides that my request carried no implied promise that I was in favor of either.

"The hearings commenced on Monday and continued until 5 p.m. Thursday afternoon. Mr. Pritchett made an opening statement on Monday giving in broad

outline the union views on its demands for a 25-cent-an-hour wage increase, the 40-hour week, union security and check-off.

He then called two expert economists Messrs Bjarnson and Marcuse to submit statistical and other data in support of his case. Mr. Bjarnson is a honor graduate of the U.B.C. in economics with post graduate study at Queens University and Mr. Marcuse is a honor graduate of Queens University in economics. Both of these gentlemen filed extensive briefs on wages, working hours and union security and gave evidence thereon extending over many pages of transcript. Their presentation was scholarly and able and covered a wide range of discussion on all issues in dispute. Mr. Pritchett also called as a witness Mr. George Brown, international organizer of the I.W.A.

### FILED STATISTICS

"Mr. C. L. McAlpine, K.C., then on behalf of the employer group filed statistical material and called the following witnesses to present the views of industry, i.e., Messrs A. P. Foster, J. H. Bloodie, R. V. Stuart, John Billings, J. R. Mills, R. J. Filberg and Aird Flavell.

"Both sides then addressed argument to me based on the testimony adduced.

Mr. Pritchett's final comment was to express appreciation for

the fair and impartial manner in which the hearing had been conducted.

"After consideration of the submissions of both sides, I formulated recommendations in which in the public interest I endeavored to steer a middle course between the extreme and

## 'Get On With Job' Acting Mayor Urges Both Strikers, Operators

Disappointment that the International Woodworkers of America (I.W.A.-C.C.L.) had rejected the strike settlement plan of Chief Justice Gordon Sloan, was expressed here Wednesday night by Acting Mayor Ed Williams, who called on both sides to "settle this problem right now and get on with the job."

Text of the acting mayor's statement follows:

I consider it very regrettable that, while the operators have accepted, the I.W.A. (whose members have been on strike for the past three weeks) should have turned down the settlement plan proposed by Hon. Chief Justice Sloan.

In representations made before the City Council at its last meeting, a delegation (purportedly representing all recognized trade unions of Greater Victoria) complained "that due to failure of the proper authorities to recognize the needs of thousands of people in this province, our building program, always hampered by shortages of material, is now practically at a standstill, with many good building trades mechanics being thrown out of employment. Many of these men are veterans, as are many of the I.W.A. We feel it to be a serious reflection on both our provincial and federal governments that they have failed to meet this situation with the promptness and consideration that it deserves. It now appears that 'the proper authorities' have indeed 'recognized the needs of thousands of people in this province' by bringing in a compromise settlement, which, if accepted by the operators and the I.W.A., would result in the im-

mediate return to normalcy of this prime industry.

A statement by T. A. Michell, president of the Victoria Labor Council, made to the City Council at the above-mentioned meeting, is pertinent. It was to the effect that the I.W.A. had offered to scale its demand down to 18 cents-an-hour increase, 40-hour week, and submit the rest to arbitration provided the result be binding on both parties.

Here is an anomaly: They themselves, while desiring the results of arbitration in one instance to be binding, in another instance (where both parties are dealt with in a democratic and not a dictatorial manner), do not choose to accept the findings of the arbitrator. It is true, the I.W.A. did not get all they were after. But did the operators?

The proceedings of the arbitration have been carried on in a legal manner. Both sides have been considered. The result has been a compromise offer to both sides. I say, both sides should settle this problem right now and get on with the job.

How long can the industrialists, manufacturers, businessmen and citizens of Victoria generally be expected to put up with the present serious situation as it affects housing, with all its allied trades, and demands box manufacturing (particularly at this time of year when the need is most acute), and other industrial and commercial requirements? There are too many serious factors involved to tie up Canada's chief industry in this way.

I must again express my keen disappointment that the union should have turned down what I believe the general public considers a fair compromise.

make union security when requested by a clear majority of workers and respect for I.W.A. picket lines.

## Victoria Girl Pipers In Portland

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP)—The Victoria Girls' Pipe Band Wednesday gave downtown Portland its first direct evidence that the Rose Festival was under way.

The band, posing for photographers before a downtown hotel, tuned up under the direction of its manager, Thomas Chalmers, and the walls, falling on unaccustomed ears, halted work in near offices.

The pipe band and the Victoria Girls' Drill Team will appear in the parade Friday and at other festival events.

## Cancel Visit Here Of U.S. Cruiser

The U.S. cruiser Astoria, which was to have visited Victoria on June 15 with delegates from the International Maritime Conference at Seattle, will not come here as delegates wish to attend the international peace treaty ceremony at Blaine, Wash., which is being held the same day, according to word received here by Troy L. Perkins, U.S. consul, from Capt. A. M. Peabody, Black Ball Ferry Line, who was in charge of arrangements.

## Business Prices High, Says Okell

Warning war veterans that prices for businesses were inflated at present, S. H. Okell, assistant district administrator of the Department of Veterans Affairs, said Wednesday the Re-establishment Credit Advisory Committee of the department was worried about veterans paying too much for businesses and goodwill.

Mr. Okell urged that all veterans thinking of using re-establishment credit to enter business confer first with the re-establishment credit branch. He said that in many cases the committee had been able to get better deals for veterans and save them money.

The committee approved 15 applications for use of the credit to enter business on Wednesday. Businesses were commercial fishing projects in Victoria and Campbell River, fuel businesses in Duncan, Nanaimo and Victoria, stores at Parksville and Salt Spring Island, a cement contracting business at Port Alberni and a partnership for sale of fire prevention equipment in Victoria.

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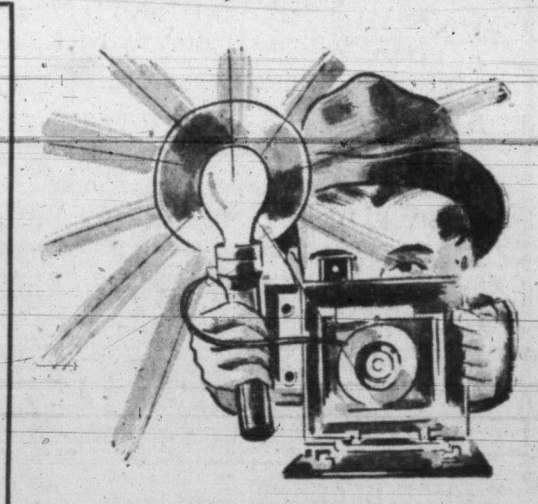
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Signed to a Cub contract in 1937 at 20, Kush spent five years with Chicago farm clubs before going on display at Wrigley Field, where he often had worked as a peanut and pop vendor. Just when it seemed his ambition was realized, he entered the navy.



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## Victoria High Baseball, Fastball Teams Win Titles

Victoria High School baseball team and senior fastball aggregation won championships in the leagues operated by the Inter-High Sports Council. Centraj Junior High School took the silverware in the junior fastball loop.

Hugh Farquhar, council president, noted that all schools represented were particularly pleased with the way athletics are progressing in the high schools as a result of the new postwar setup and among other things in the athletic picture, told of efforts to get a much more active rugby loop operating in the fall.

Vic High's baseball team, coached by Neil Swanson, went through the schedule without a defeat. It was No. 3 House team of the Vic High coached by Joe Roberts, school athletics director, that won the senior fastball knockout series. The series in which Central Junior High won the under-16 junior fastball laurels was also a knockout affair.

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## Ciros Triumph By 11-Run Margin In Fastball Feature

After rushing 10 runners over the four-bag route in the first two innings, Ciros fastball senior A men breezed through to an 18 to 7 triumph over Hoyle-Brown Wednesday night.

The "whiffless" Canadian Legion cellar-berth occupants will be out to make their first "official" impression in the victory column tomorrow night at 6.30 when they tangle with Ciros at Central Park. Earlier this week they handed H.B. a decisive defeat, but owing to a rules' infraction it was disallowed and the wholesale men took the points.

Andrews turns out—Hurley Norm Martin's offerings were hit all over the lot by Ciros in the first two innings when they chalked up five runs in each frame. Stan Tenning was sent in to take over. Vic Burtt started on the mound for the Ciros crew, but it was soon apparent he wasn't "on" and Joe Bryant replaced him for the remaining eight and a half innings. With "Porky" Andrews of Dominos fame back in uniform and lending his weight at the stick, Ciros smashed out 18 hits, one of them Harry Holness' four-bagger.

### OTHER RESULTS

Results of other games Wednesday night follow:  
Senior A Women—Hudson's Bay 8, Victoria Box and Paper 6.  
Second Bay shutout, Flo Kennedy pitching one-hit ball and June McMillan slugging out two homers.  
Adverts 6, Sidney K. of P. 1.  
Senior B men—R.C.N. Armament Depot 6, Penguins 5; eighth inning hit by pitcher Sharp gave R.C.N. the winning run.  
Juvenile boys—Duffy's 17, Hoyle-Brown 13.

## Wrestles Here



Professional wrestling's latest spotlight performer, who will appear in the main event of promoter Rocky Brooks' card at the Bay St. Armories Saturday night, Golden Angel has been matched with Ivan Komaroff. Other bouts will feature Andre Adoree against Cliff Thiede and Jack McLaughlin against Cliff Parker. First bout is billed for 8.30.

## Honeymoon Captures \$25,000 Race Event

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP)—Honeymoon, Louis B. Mayer's prize filly, scored a four-length triumph in the \$25,000 one-mile Hollywood Oaks Wednesday, showing her heels to four other three-year-old fillies.

Aptos Hovey moved from last place to finish second, followed by Good Excuse, Going With Me and Enfilade.

## Spencer's Victors In Cricket Game

Spencer's cricket team, showing for the first time this season, scored a 120-to-15 victory over a team chosen from the Victoria and District Cricket League Wednesday at Beacon Hill Park. J. Oakman and Nixon topped the Spencer scorers with 46 and 44 runs, respectively.

### Baseball Guild Shows Teeth

NEW YORK (AP)—The assertion by Robert Murphy, labor relations director of the American Baseball Guild, that Pittsburgh Pirates will not play their scheduled game with New York Giants Friday night unless officials of the Pittsburgh club agree to a collective bargaining election, recalls baseball's first and only strike.

The trouble began when Ty Cobb, Detroit Tigers' great outfielder, slugged a spectator who had been heckling him in a game in New York 34 years ago. Ban Johnson, president of the American League, slapped an indefinite suspension on Cobb.

Cobb's teammates, sympathizing with the "Georgia Peach," voted not to show up for their scheduled game against Philadelphia Athletics three days later.

Hugh Jennings, Tiger manager, was unable to smooth out matters among his players, and rather than forfeit the game, which would have meant an automatic \$1,000 fine against the Detroit club, he recruited a bunch of amateurs and semi-pros. These pick-ups were massacred, 24 to 2.

The next day was an open date for Detroit and the Tigers still were on strike. The following day, Detroit was allowed to postpone its game. That night Cobb still was under suspension but his comrades held another meeting and voted to end their strike. The aftermath was that each Tiger player was fined \$100.

Murphy's assertion regarding Friday night's game was the first strike threat of the newly-organized baseball guild. Following a meeting with Pirate officials yesterday, Murphy said he would press immediately for a National Labor Relations Board hearing and election.

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## Ball Fans Wild When A's Win Doubleheader

Victoria Athletics hit the jackpot with a bang that re-echoed throughout the entire Western International Baseball League Tuesday night. Rising up in all their might the cellar-occupants knocked over the Salem Senators 6 to 1 and 13 to 4 to topple Manager Ted Gullie's club out of first place. Spokane, defeating Tacoma 8 to 4, took over the number one spot.

For 1,800 win-hungry fans the double victory was just what they had been waiting for since the season opened. The crowd just let its enthusiasm run over and it was a happy throng that wended its way out of the park at midnight after four and a half hours of baseball. Even the Victoria club directors wore smiles.

Outstanding in the twin triumph were pitchers Pee Wee Bass, recently signed to a Victoria contract after being cut loose by Spokane, and hard-working Joe Blankenship. Bass, a veteran who admits to 38 years, southpawed the Senators dizzy in the seven-inning opener, giving up only five hits and being robbed of a shutout by catcher Ted Kerr's home run in the second inning. He struck out one and walked a pair. Blankenship, after being handed a six-run lead in the first inning, coasted to victory. He gave up 13 hits but kept them well-scattered until the eighth, when Salem picked up five singles for three of their four runs. Game was called in the eighth owing to the midnight curfew.

CLUB MUCH IMPROVED Entire Victoria team looked improved as the boys fielded well back of the hurlers. Billy Dunn, newly-acquired shortstop being particularly brilliant. The lanky youngster came up with three hits and showed a lot of scrap all night. The club had lots of hustle and, after getting a couple of good breaks, stepped out and took advantage of them by hitting the ball in the clutch.

For the first time the A's showed the fans some real power at the plate as first baseman Vic Buccola smashed a pair of home runs in the second tilt and right fielder Pete Hughes lofted one over the centre-field fence in the opener. In addition Hughes contributed a triple and Les Mul-tiple and Blankenship doubles. Double win gave the Athletics a 2 to 1 series lead with the fourth game scheduled tonight, starting at 8. Johnny Carpenter will go to the mound for the Athletics with Steve Gerkin scheduled to work for Salem.

Short scores in other W.I.L. games last night follow:

	R	H	E
Yakima	2	4	3
Wenatchee	8	10	1
Batteries: Marshall, O'Boyle (4) and McConnell; Vivalda and Pesut.			
Tacoma	4	8	3
Spokane	8	13	4
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## Consider Taking Hutments To House Evicted Families

A meeting of the city welfare committee will consider the possibility of taking over army hutments at Macaulay Point as emergency housing units for families who must be moved out of the Clover Point hutments because War Assets Corporation sold them, Ald. Margaret D. Christie, committee chairman, said today.

She welcomed the offer made by J. G. Walker, emergency shelter administrator, to lease buildings to the city as emergency housing units.

There are 13 children in the three families at Clover Point now, who have been there for some months. Although the families sought more permanent quarters in the period they have been unsuccessful.

The family of six children, which was evicted from a Douglass Street residence a short time ago, now being quartered in the former Salvation Army hostel on Broad Street could possibly be placed in Macaulay Point hutments if the city decides to accept the federal government offer, she indicated.

The whole matter will come up for discussion at Tuesday's City Council meeting.

Today the city was also offered the opportunity to purchase 10 buildings, fixtures and services at Albert Head infantry camp, the deadline for a reply being set for June 14.

Monthly meeting of the Victoria Aged Pensioners Association at First Baptist Church was well attended. Mrs. Ross Palmer showed motion pictures of San Francisco, Canada from east to west and Eskimos arts and crafts. Members were reminded of the Sunshipe Camp at Sooke which starts June 17.

## Services At Graveside Honor War Dead On D-Day Anniversary

In six services in the cemeteries of Greater-Victoria, tributes were paid today—the second anniversary of the Normandy invasion—to those who lost their lives fighting in the Allied cause in the two world wars.

Canadian Legion branches, the Imperial Order, Daughters of the Empire, the city and municipalities and the armed forces were represented at the Memorial Day services, first of which was held at Colwood Burial Park at 11 this morning.

Rev. D. W. Scott conducted the Colwood Burial Park service, for which arrangements had been made by Britannia Branch, Canadian Legion. Mrs. D. Swan, president of the ladies' auxiliary of the branch, and Ald. W. L. Morgan, chairman of the Memorial Day Committee, laid wreaths in tribute to the fallen servicemen.

In the afternoon, with the Naval Veterans' Branch, Canadian Legion, in charge of the ceremonies, Army Chaplain H. A. Merkle and Navy Chaplain G. L. Gillard conducted memorial services in Esquimalt military and naval cemeteries.

At Ross Bay Cemetery, where the service had been arranged by the Municipal Chapter of the I.O. D.E., Rev. Hugh A. McLeod conducted the service and Acting Mayor Edward Williams laid a wreath—Standard-bearers of the I.O.D.E. chapters attended the service.

At the same time, two services were held at Royal Oak Burial Park, under supervision of the Pro Patria Branch, Canadian Legion. Both services, held in the air force and general service sections of the cemetery, were conducted by Air Force Chaplain J. S. Bonham. A small detachment of R.C.A.F. personnel was present.

Rev. A. G. Lambbrick of Saanich, Alderman J. A. Worthington, and E. C. McIntyre, president of the Legion branch, laid wreaths on the graves.

## Garbage Still Litters Beaches

George I. Warren, secretary of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, today expressed concern to the City Council that, despite towing of garbage a further distance in the straits, the prevailing winds and tides will continue to result in the beaches adjacent to the city being littered with some of the remnants of the floating garbage dumped in the straits.

Ald. J. D. Hunter, chairman of the public works committee, a few days ago made the statement that since the garbage had been towed out farther com-

## Town Topics

A building permit has been issued to Lee Dye and Sons to alter the building at 636 Cormorant Street at a cost of \$1,500.

The Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference has written the City Council asking that an evening meeting be held to hear representations on public ownership of transportation and public utilities.

Max Feingold was fined \$40 and his driver's license was suspended for 30 days when convicted in city police court today of a dangerous driving charge resulting from a collision at Gorge Road and Rock Bay Avenue May 26.

City police were advised today that Norman Palmer, 22, who, with two other convicts escaped from Oakalla Prison Farm, had been apprehended on the mainland Wednesday night. The other two men were caught shortly after the break.

The Victoria Horticultural Society, at a meeting this week, supported the city parks department policy of cutting forest-type trees on city boulevards, although the organization said it would investigate complaints which might be justified.

Three English girls from North Stockport, Cheshire, have written M. F. Hunter, city clerk, asking if pen pals could be found for them in Victoria. The girls are aged 19 and 20 and all work in the office of an engineering works, they say. Their names and addresses are Miss Dorothy Moores, 24 Hr. Bents Lane, Bradbury, Nr. Stockport, Cheshire; Miss J. Bennett, 25 Higson Avenue, Romiley, Nr. Stockport, Cheshire; and Miss Jessie Cocker, 33 Regent Road, Heaviley, Nr. Stockport.

## Inspect City Hall For Fire Hazards

Fire inspection is carried on throughout the downtown district every six weeks, Capt. Phillip Guy of the city fire department, said today as he inspected the City Hall.

He looked in all nooks and crannies, under stairways, and through offices to make sure there were no fire hazards. One was found under the main stairway, in the form of a cardboard box full of waste paper, which he ordered removed.

Practically every building in downtown Victoria, with the exception of about six, are "built to burn," he said and only rigid inspection, coupled with care on the part of the tenants keeps them safe.

For example, he cited the City Hall which is so old, and of "mill construction," that the dried out wood would burn like tinder in 20 minutes if a fire got started.

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Love and Music (La Tosca), O My Beloved Daddy (Gianelli Schicchi)—Licia Albanese, soprano.  
Il Guarany: Overture, Parts 1 and 2—Boston "Pops" Orchestra, Arthur Fielder, conductor.  
Hebrew Melody (Joseph Achorn), Mairani, Op. 8, No. 1—Mischa Elman, violinist.  
The Palm (Faure), Ave Maria (Schubert)—Thomas L. Thomas, baritone.  
La Belle Helene: Overture, Parts 1 and 2—Boston "Pops" Orchestra.  
La Campanella (Liszt), Valse Impromptu in A Flat (Liszt)—Alexander Brailowsky, pianist.  
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Les Agnes Dams Non Campegians; Ca. Berger's Assemblée—Non—Renaud John. Play Games, Dance Games: Song of the Open Road (Malotte)—Igor Gorkin, baritone.  
I Attempt From Love's Sickens to Fly (Purcell), Silkenia (Handel)—Blanche Thomson, mezzo-soprano.  
Redskin Love Song: The Blind Ploughman—Norman Gordon, baritone.  
Cradle Song (Brahms): The Virgin's Lullaby Song—Blanche Thomson, mezzo-soprano.  
June Is Bustin' Out All Over—Thomas L. Thomas, baritone; If I Loved You—Norman Gordon, baritone.  
Holidays for Strings: Our Walls (David Ross)—James Melton, tenor.  
Oklahoma—The Sizzles With the Fringe on Top—James Melton, tenor.  
I Want What I Want When I Want It: Please Don't Say No—Laurits Melchior, tenor.  
I'll Walk Alone: I Dream of You—Allan Jones, tenor.  
Always (Berlioz): You Are Love (Kern)—Grace Moore, soprano.  
Rodeo Young: The Army Air Corps—John Charles Thomas, baritone.

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## Unions Charge Shipyards Stalling On Negotiations

Charges that the employers in British Columbia's shipbuilding industry had taken advantage of technicalities to delay meeting union representatives for negotiation of new collective bargaining contracts were made at a meeting Wednesday night of the Victoria Joint Shipyard Council.

A delegate of the Moulders' Union leveled the charge and added that delay in the negotiation was caused entirely by management's procrastination, according to a statement issued following the meeting.

"Delegates to the Victoria Joint Shipyard Council sharply criticized statements appearing in the press, attributed to the management of a local shipyard, regarding the possible loss of a \$5,000,000 shipbuilding contract," said the statement.

Joint negotiations between all B.C. shipyard employers and all interested unions would prevent any unfair competition or advantages being taken, F. J. Bevis, secretary, told the council. All yards across Canada were asked at this time for the 25 cent per hour increase and the 40-hour week, he continued, adding that he failed to see where any unfair competition could occur, especially since the shipbuilders had combined their forces in the B.C. Shipbuilders' Association.

Two delegates were selected to confer with Vancouver unions today.

## Island Cancer Clinic Foreseen

A second provincial cancer clinic on the island is the ultimate objective of the Conquer Cancer drive, according to a statement today from G. H. Stevens, director of the campaign to raise \$50,000 in Victoria.

Mr. Stevens pointed out that at the present time the Vancouver clinic under the direction of the B.C. Cancer Foundation was entirely inadequate to serve provincial needs.

"The clinic was started by an anonymous donation of \$50,000," he said. "It has the latest 1,000-000-volt deep therapy equipment for treating cancer."

He added that when a second clinic was established on the island Victorians would be assured of an easily accessible centre.

Yvonne Stephenson, campaign secretary, reported subscriptions totalling \$5,289.89 today. Steadily increasing donations at the special booths at David Spencer Ltd., and Hudson's Bay Company were noted as a result of the telephone canvass.

Miss Stephenson said it had been impossible to secure sufficient canvassers for house-to-

## Native Son Dies

Funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at 3 from Sande Mortuary Ltd., for Wilfrid Stephen Harrison, 2636 Wark Street, 52, native of North Saanich, who died at St. Joseph's Hospital, Wednesday. Interment will be at Royal Oak. Mr. Harrison was well known in Victoria where he resided for 30 years. From 1920 to 1927 he owned and operated the Flying Line Stage between Victoria and Sidney. Surviving are his widow, the former Jessie Sophia John and a

## TENDERS For Paving and Grading

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the Purchasing Agent of the City of Victoria up to Noon, Wednesday, June 13th, 1946, for grading, paving with curbs and gutters, on Mainland Street, from Pembroke Street to Pandora Avenue. Specifications, General Conditions of Contract, Schedule of Approximate Quantities, Forms of Tender, Contract and Drawings may be seen at the Office of the City Engineer in the City Hall, Victoria, B.C., and one copy thereof may be obtained on payment of the sum of Ten Dollars (\$10.00), which sum will be refunded on return of the documents in good order.

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